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**NO GENERAL****WAGE CUT BY STEEL CORPORATION**

Concern, However, Will Make Some Readjustments of Piece Work on Lower Basis.

New York, Dec. 23.—There will be no general reduction in wages by the United States Steel corporation at the present time, according to an announcement made yesterday by Judge Elbert H. Gary, chairman of the corporation, after a meeting of the corporation's finance committee. There will, however, be some readjustments in the pay of "skilled labor and piece work" on a lower basis.

**MORE BAGS FOR SANTA CLAUS.**

Postoffice Department Finds Equipment Inadequate for Christmas Mail.

Washington, Dec. 23.—To handle the greatest volume of Christmas mail in the history of the postoffice department it has been found necessary to purchase additional equipment in the open market. The department has been supplied with 2,000 mail bags a day for six months, but Monday to provide increased equipment particularly for use in large cities, 175,000 hurlap bags were purchased, and another large order was to be placed yesterday. Additional transportation equipment, including cars, automobiles and wagons, as well as several thousand emergency employees in the railway mail service and city delivery service, has been put into operation.

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Days to Christmas



Last Call! Unless You Buy Today or Tomorrow It Will Be Too Late!

**EXTENDS THE OLIVE BRANCH**

President Defends the Right of the Senate to Reject

THERE CAN BE NO FIGHT WITH HIM

Over the Nominations That Will Endanger Success of Administration

Washington, Dec. 23.—President Wilson yesterday extended the olive branch to the Senate. He took occasion to discuss the various reports of serious friction between himself and the Senate, to defend its right to reject any and all nominations he may send in. But he declined to outline his plans for dealing with such nominations as are rejected by it, or to say whether he would change his present plan of standing by such nominees.

The president declared he had learned with a great deal of interest, from the newspapers that the Senate had declared war on him because of certain nominations, but he always has maintained that the Senate has a perfect right to reject nominations. He maintained he was far more interested in the larger affairs of government than in patronage. The success of the administration, in his opinion, did not depend upon patronage, the latter being a minor issue. He stated that so long as he holds this opinion there can be no fight with the Senate that will endanger either the interests of the country at large or the success of the administration.

Much that has been published regarding the reported "fight to a finish" between the administration and the Senate is, in the opinion of the president, absurd. Speculation on what he would or would not do, he said, seemed to be a favorite plan with certain newspapers. He did not object to this he said, as it usually showed him what it was best not to do.

When asked whether he would send in other names to replace those already rejected by the Senate, especially for that of John D. Lynn of Rochester, rejected as United States attorney for the western district of New York, the president said he had not even considered the question.

The president said he was very hopeful now, that the ship purchase bill would be rushed in Congress. He had been told by the leaders, he said, that the bill was practically complete, and they have decided to rush it through if possible.

There will be no additional conservation legislation or rural credit laws enacted at the present session. The president told his callers he did not believe in Congress being pressed too much.

Whether the proposed Alaskan railroad is to be started in the near future and just how it is to be constructed will be determined shortly. The president said yesterday the preliminary report of the engineers is about ready.

**MAY SIDETRACK IT.**

Immigration Bill Cause of Much Worry.

Washington, Dec. 23.—Friends of the

**FIRST USE OF RESINOL STOPS TERRIBLE ITCH**

Jan. 27, 1914: "I suffered over eight years with eczema. It started in one little place and kept spreading until it covered my hands. My hands looked like they had been burned by fire and peeled off in large pieces until they were only raw flesh. I was told it was eczema. It itched and burned me so that I could not sleep at night. I tried all sorts of eczema salves and one prescription after another but nothing gave me any relief until I tried Resinol Soap and Resinol Ointment, and after the first application my hands never itched or burned again, and were well in one week. I want every sufferer from eczema to know that they can find a cure in Resinol." (Signed) Miss Ethel Scott, Milledale, Ga.

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immigration bill in the Senate are concerned over the question of whether a vote will be permitted on it. They fear that a successful attempt will be made to sidetrack it.

President Wilson is not anxious to be confronted with an immigration bill containing the literacy test. He and Senator Lewis of Illinois had a conference Monday, and following that the Senate was filled with rumors that the administration backers would try to block a vote on the bill.

The Senate hurriedly adjourned Monday afternoon, although it had the immigration bill and plenty other business before it. Supporters of the bill charged that it was a scheme to delay a vote on the immigration measure.

**WON'T CONSIDER SEA SAFETY BILL AGAIN**

Effort to Kill Ratification Amendment Defeated—Administration Desired Reconsideration of Treaty.

Washington, Dec. 23.—The Senate in executive session yesterday failed to reconsider the vote by which it ratified the safety at sea treaty. The point of order was made that the motion had not been made within the limit of the time required under the rules and Senator Swanson, in the chair, sustained the point.

The object in moving to reconsider was to try to kill the amendment to the ratification resolution put in by Senator John Sharp Williams, which reserves to the United States the right to pass the LaFollette steamship bill. The administration desired the treaty reconsidered because it is understood that foreign nations signatory to the treaty will refuse to be bound by the treaty if the United States insists upon its right to legislate concerning the treatment of seamen on merchant vessels while in American ports.

The real bone of contention is the LaFollette steamship bill which purports to "abolish involuntary servitude in merchant marine."

The bill has long been advocated by the International Seamen's Union and the American Federation of Labor.

The action by the Senate yesterday if it is allowed to stand probably kills the treaty.

**MORONEY GUILTY.**

Boston, Dec. 23.—John A. E. Moroney, an attorney who attempted suicide in court after his arrest last week, pleaded guilty to a forgery charge yesterday, and was sentenced to four years in the house of correction.

**CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS AT RUSSELL'S****Special!**

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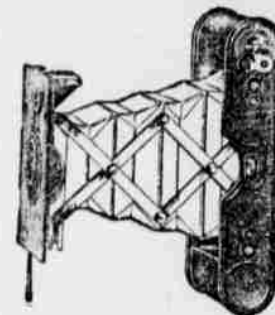
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Fresh Figs, per lb. 20c

Dried Figs, per lb. 15c

Fancy Pears for your Christmas dinner, doz. 30c, 40c

1914 Mixed Nuts .2 lbs. for 35c

Lettuce and Celery

Pure Ribbon Candy .2 lbs. for 25c

Come in and look over our Confectionery. We have a large assortment of fancy boxes of Kibbe's Chocolates, ranging from one-half to five pounds.

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Call up 163-W on the 'phone, and we will deliver your order promptly.

**BRITISH EMBASSY MAKES REPLY TO GERMAN CLAIM**

Denies in Formal Statement That Scarborough and Whitby Were Defended in Any Way When Bombarded.

Washington, Dec. 23.—The British embassy yesterday issued the following statement:

"The military attack of the German navy at Scarborough and Whitby on the evening of Dec. 14, 1914, was a serious and deliberate attack on the British coast. The British government has no doubt that the German navy was responsible for the attack, and that the British government has no doubt that the German navy was responsible for the attack."

"Even were they defended, the convention prescribes a reasonable time for waiting and due regard for sacred edifices and historic monuments."

"As a matter of fact, Scarborough is a seaside resort and Whitby a fishing village. Both are absolutely undefended. Their bombardment took place without the slightest notice, and churches were to have been specially singled out for attack."

**AMERICAN SAVED BELGRADE FROM DESTRUCTION**

Dr. Ryan, a Red Cross Director, Remained in the Serbian Capital During Austrian Occupation to Care for Wounded.

London, Dec. 23.—The capture of Belgrade by the Serbians was only accomplished after desperate fighting, according to the correspondent of the Times at Belgrade.

"The end victoriously came," he says, "with the Serbian capture of the Turkish position dominating Belgrade on the evening of Dec. 14. The first Serbian army entered the city on the 15th, followed by King Peter, while fighting was still proceeding near the bridge."

"When the Serbian army reached the bridge a great number of the Austrians were still on the Belgrade side and surrounded. Thus the Serbians obtained 10,000 prisoners, eight cannons, 1,000 horses, and 100 wagons."

"A splendid part was played by Dr.

Ryan, director of the American Red Cross, who remained in Belgrade during the Austrian occupation. He protected and fed the Serbian and Austrian wounded, and his intervention saved part of the city from destruction."

**RESERVE CITIES OPPOSED.**

Board to Hear Protest Against the Designations.

Washington, Dec. 23.—The federal reserve board yesterday finally arranged for hearing bankers in protest against designations of federal reserve cities and definition of reserve districts as made by the reserve bank organization committee. Baltimore bankers will argue Jan. 6 against inclusion in the Richmond district; Pittsburgh bankers will protest Jan. 13 against their assignment to the Cleveland district; bankers from cities along the Hudson river, opposite New York, in the state of New Jersey, will appear Jan. 20 to ask transfer from the Philadelphia to the New York district; bankers from Wexford and Tyler counties, W. Va., will ask transfer from the Richmond to the Cleveland district Jan. 27; Nebraska and Wyoming bankers will be heard Feb. 3, asking for transfer from the Kansas City to the Chicago district; south Oklahoma bankers will request on Feb. 10 a transfer from the Dallas to the Kansas City district. Bankers from Stewart, Montgomery and Robertson counties, Tenn., will urge a transfer from the Atlanta to the St. Louis district at the last hearing, Feb. 17.

Former U. S. Senator Dead in Bed. Valdosta, Ga., Dec. 23.—Former United States Senator William S. West was found dead in bed at his home here early yesterday. He had retired apparently in good health.

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California Grapes, fancy, per lb. .15c  
Pineapples, each .15c to 35c  
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